

George Tomlinson Early Years News!



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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to the the beginning of week five!! Our children are now getting stuck into their learning, physically, creatively, emotionally and of course, cognitively. I have seen children thinking and solving problems in Year 1, using different coins to make amounts, I have seen children in Reception, recalling the narrative for 'The Three Little Pigs' and creating their own story maps, and I have seen children in Nursery exploring the whole school and finding their first egg! I wonder what they will make with it!



The children in Reception have been continuing to tell stories with adults supporting them by scribing. This is something you can do at home too, they narrate while you write down everything they say, as your child starts to know more sounds you can encourage them to write them in some words.

I have seen some year 1 children facinated by colour wheels, some of them have been making their own. They have been particularly interested in the way they spin and how the colours merge into white.

Have a fantastic week

All the best

Jessica Mendelsohn EYFS Lead/Year 1 and Assistant Head teacher

Weekly Events

Toddler group
Every Wednesday 9am -10.45

Head Teacher Drop-in – Every
Wednesday between 9:15 am and
11 am (Please make an
appointment at the school office.)



English classes for Parents and
Carers – Every Wednesday at 3:30
pm



Upcoming Events

OCTOBER

Thursday 11th - reception phonic
parent workshop 3.30 – 4.00 crèche
provided .

Thursday 18th – Reception family Day
9.00 – 9.45am

Thursday 18th – AM Nursery reading
workshop for parents 11.00 am
PM Nursery Reading workshop 2.30pm

Thursday 18th – Black History Month
Lunch

Friday 19th last day of term.

HALF TERM

Monday 29th - All children return to
school

NOVEMBER

Friday 9th **OPEN DAY** for Nursery
parents applying for Reception

Tuesday 13th Reception trips

Nursery trips on 14th and 16th but times
to be confirmed

Happy Birthday Rachel in
nursery who turned 4!
And Archie in Year 1 who
turned 6!



As your children get busy engaging with the many activities that are on offer to them every day, they will inevitably get dirty. Please make sure you have a change of clothes in school for accidents and plenty of cheap, spare t-shirts. We do not require children in Nursery, reception or Year 1 to have the George Tomlinson logo on every item of clothing. You can pick up fairly cheap school t-shirts with collars (polo shirts), from any supermarket.

Our children are also learning to develop their coordination to enable them to be more careful with the resources they use and to be able to assess whether they need to protect their clothes when doing certain activities. For some children, they are still learning.



Thursday 3.30pm
Don't forget this week is our phonic workshop, please try and come as it will really support your child if you know how we are teaching phonics at school.